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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Chu  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on September 1, 2004. Claims 1-20 remain in this application. Claims 1, 5, 8-14 and 17 have been amended, and claims 19 and 20 have been added. Please amend the application as follows.